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John Borla, Mine Manager
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Dear Mr. Borla:

As we discussed the spring cleanup, was very happy that you agreed to write a letter on what you intend to do. Thank you for a very detailed letter. Your letter committed to a spring cleanup, fall cleanup, and keeping the site in conformance with the coal rules.

In closing, I sincerely believe the spring and fall cleanup saves a lot of time, because it concentrates the work at key periods instead of a general reaction type of program. The spring and fall cleanup has been an effective program in the past at the Star Point mines.

Again, thank you for your letter of May 2, 2001.

Very truly yours,

Wm. J. Malencik
Reclamation Specialist

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